



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 05999.0091-00

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:)
Marco NAHMIAS NANNI et al.) Group Art Unit: 1713
Application No.: 09/878,405) Examiner: Peter D. Mulcahy
Filed: June 12, 2001) Confirmation No.: 2314
For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING)
TYRES, TYRES THUS OBTAINED)
AND ELASTOMERIC)
COMPOSITIONS USED THEREIN)

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated May 19, 2004 of the Examiner.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. A Petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the final rejection was filed on September 16, 2004 extending the period for response to September 19, 2004.
2. A Petition for extension of time to further extend the period for response to October 19, 2004 is enclosed together with a fee of \$320.00.
3. The Appeal Fee of \$340.00 (or \$170.00 if by small entity)
 is enclosed or is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0916
4. A check for \$660.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: October 19, 2004

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